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8 UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT  
FOR THE EASTERN DISTRICT OF CALIFORNIA  
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10 UNITED STATES OF AMERICA,

11 Plaintiff,

12 v.

13 KENNETH KNANISHU,

14 Defendant.  
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Cr.S. 05-105 WBS

REQUEST APPOINTMENT OF  
COUNSEL

16 Defendant KENNETH KNANISHU requests this court appoint attorney Krista  
17 Hart to represent Mr. Knanishu in the case referenced above.

18 Mr. Knanishu pleaded guilty pursuant to a plea agreement and on October 15,  
19 2007, the Court sentenced Mr. Knanishu to 60 months in prison. (Docs 87 & 88) On  
20 October 1, 2012, Mr. Knanishu filed a motion pursuant to 28 U.S.C. § 2255. (Doc 94)  
21 The government filed its response on February 17, 2013. (Doc 104)

22 On March 26, 2013, the Court determined it would be appropriate to have counsel  
23 appointed to represent Mr. Knanishu and directed the Office of the Federal Defender to  
24 locate counsel. (Doc 105) The undersigned was contacted and has agreed to represent Mr.

1 Knanishu pursuant to the Court's order of March 26, 2013.

2 Therefore, Mr. Knanishu asks this Court to appoint the undersigned to represent  
3 him in this case.

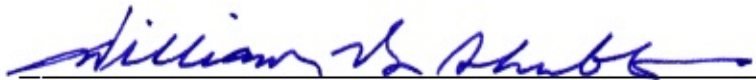
4 DATED: March 29, 2013

5 /s/ Krista Hart  
6 Seeking appointment for  
7 Kenneth Knanishu  
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9 **ORDER**

10 Attorney Krista Hart is hereby appointed pursuant to the Criminal Justice Act to  
11 represent Mr. Knanishu in connection with his currently pending motion pursuant to 28  
12 U.S.C. § 2255 in this case.

13 DATE: March 29, 2013

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15 WILLIAM B. SHUBB  
16 UNITED STATES DISTRICT JUDGE  
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